



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Venkatraman et al.

Attorney Docket No.: DEM1P005

Application No.: 09/741,959

Examiner: Patel, Jagdish

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Title: ECONOMETRIC OPTIMIZATION
ENGINE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Dear Examiner:

Applicant encloses herewith a Preliminary Amendment. Any required fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	4	MINUS	6	0	x 25 = 0	x 50 = 0
Independent Claims	1	MINUS	3	0	x 100 = 0	x 200 = 0
Total					\$0	\$0

- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-2766 (Order No. DEM1P005).
- ☐ Enclosed is our Check No. _____ in the amount of \$200 to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☒ The commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 50-2766 (Order No. DEM1P005).

Respectfully submitted,

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